

Declassified in Part - Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/11/09 : CIA-RDP89-00121R000300530003-9

**Page Denied**

ROUTING			
TO:	NAME AND ADDRESS	DATE	INITIALS
1	Director/NPIC		
2	Room 6N106		
3			
4			
	ACTION	DIRECT REPLY	PREPARE REPLY
	APPROVAL	DISPATCH	RECOMMENDATION
	COMMENT	FILE	RETURN
	CONCURRENCE	INFORMATION	SIGNATURE
REMARKS:			
FROM: NAME, ADDRESS, AND PHONE NO.			DATE

**SECRET**

(Security Classification)



(See inside cover)

25X1

25X1

CONTROL NO. Z- 10501/82

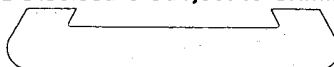
Copy 28

**Warning Notice**

Intelligence Sources and Methods Involved

**NATIONAL SECURITY INFORMATION**

Unauthorized Disclosure Subject to Criminal Sanctions

**SECRET**

(Security Classification)

**Warning Notice**  
**Intelligence Sources and Methods Involved**  
**(WNINTEL) or (D)**

**NATIONAL SECURITY INFORMATION**  
**Unauthorized Disclosure Subject to Criminal Sanctions**

**DISSEMINATION CONTROL ABBREVIATIONS**

<b>NOFORN-</b>	<b>Not Releasable to Foreign Nationals</b>
<b>NOCONTRACT-</b>	<b>Not Releasable to Contractors or Contractor/Consultants</b>
<b>PROPIN-</b>	<b>Caution-Proprietary Information Involved</b>
<b>USIBONLY-</b>	<b>USIB Departments Only</b>
<b>ORCON-</b>	<b>Dissemination and Extraction of Information Controlled by Originator</b>
<b>REL . . .</b>	<b>This Information has been Authorized for Release to . . .</b>

**SECRET**

25X1

## (c) NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER

Page 1 of 2Copy 26Attachment to Z-10501/82  
NPIC/PEG (3/82)**MILITARY OPERATIONS  
DEZFUL-SHUSH AREA, IRAN**

25X1

1. (S/D) SIGNIFICANCE: IRANIAN FORCES HAVE ATTACKED AND ELIMINATED THE IRAQI SALIENT WEST OF SHUSH SINCE

[REDACTED] THIS MOVES THE FORWARD EDGE OF THE BATTLE AREA (FEBA) APPROXIMATELY 15 NM TO THE WEST. ALL OF THE IRAQI FORCES WHICH WERE DEPLOYED WITHIN THE SALIENT ON [REDACTED] HAVE WITHDRAWN. THIS INCLUDES ELEMENTS OF AT LEAST FIVE BRIGADES AND VARIOUS COMBAT SUPPORT ELEMENTS. IN ADDITION, THE IRAQIS SUCCESSFULLY EXTRICATED ALMOST ALL OF THE HEAVY EQUIPMENT ASSOCIATED WITH THESE BRIGADES.

25X1

25X1

25X1

2. (S/D) REMARKS: IRANIAN FORCES, TO INCLUDE NUMEROUS SMALL INFANTRY UNITS (ITEM 1) AND TWO TANK PLATOONS, HAVE OCCUPIED THE IRAQI SALIENT IN THE AREA WEST OF SHUSH SINCE

[REDACTED] THE IRAQI UNITS OCCUPYING THE SALIENT AREA ON WHICH INCLUDED MAJOR ELEMENTS OF AT LEAST FIVE BRIGADES, HAVE WITHDRAWN WITH ALMOST ALL OF THEIR HEAVY EQUIPMENT (ITEM 2). SMALL AMOUNTS OF ABANDONED IRAQI EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING THREE PROBABLE ARTILLERY PIECES AND THREE ARMORED VEHICLES, ARE IN THE SALIENT AREA. THE IRAQI ARMORED BRIGADE, DEPLOYED 4 NM SOUTHEAST OF EMAMZADEH ABBAS ON [REDACTED] WAS ABLE TO WITHDRAW OVER THE RIDGE LINE TO THE REAR ON A RECENTLY IMPROVED ROAD AT 32-16-00N 047-51-00E (ITEM 3). ROAD IMPROVEMENTS WERE IN THEIR INITIAL STAGES AND CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY ON THIS EAST-WEST ROAD WAS IN PROGRESS AS EARLY AS [REDACTED].

25X1

25X1

25X1

(S/D) ELEMENTS OF AN IRAQI ARMORED BRIGADE, INCLUDING MAJOR ELEMENTS OF TWO TANK BATTALIONS, ARE DEPLOYED IN DEFENSIVE POSITIONS NEAR THE SOUTHERN SECTOR OF THE SALIENT AT 32-06-00N 047-55-00E (ITEM 4).

(S/D) IN THE SOUTHERN BATTLE SECTOR, IRANIAN INFANTRY UNITS AND ONE TANK PLATOON ARE DEPLOYED ALONG A RIDGE LINE AND BEHIND THE EAST EDGE OF THE SAND DUNES AT 32-04-00N 047-55-00E, APPROXIMATELY 8 NM SOUTHWEST OF CHENANEH. THE IRANIANS HAVE CONSTRUCTED A SHORT ROAD THROUGH THE SAND DUNES (ITEM 5).

These notes have been prepared for briefing purposes only and should not be used for detailed analytical work. Their use should be restricted to the particular briefing board(s) they were prepared for and must be considered valid only for the reporting period as indicated by the date of issue.

25X1

**WARNING NOTICE**  
Intelligence Sources  
and Methods Involved

**SECRET**

25X1

**SECRET**

25X1

(c) NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER

Page 2 of 2

Copy 28

Attachment to Z-10501/82

NPIC/PEG (3/82)

(S/D) NEAR THE NORTHERN SECTOR OF THE SALIENT, MAJOR ELEMENTS OF AN IRANIAN TANK COMPANY ARE DEPLOYED IN PREPARED DEFENSIVE POSITIONS 2 NM SOUTH OF EMAMZADEH ABBAS AT 32-24-00N 047-48-00E. THE UNITS ARE ORIENTED WEST. ADDITIONAL DEFENSIVE BERMS ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION ALONG THE EAST-WEST ROAD AT EMAMZADEH ABBAS (ITEM 6).

(S/D) THE BATTLE AREA WEST OF EMAMZADEH ABBAS WAS NOT IMAGED AND THE STATUS OF THE FEBA IN THAT AREA CANNOT BE DETERMINED.

3. BE N/A, COORDINATES N/A

COMMENTS AND QUERIES REGARDING THIS BRIEFING BOARD MAY BE DIRECTED TO THE NPIC/PEG OPERATIONS OFFICER.

These notes have been prepared for briefing purposes only and should not be used for detailed analytical work. Their use should be restricted to the particular briefing board(s) they were prepared for and must be considered valid only for the reporting period as indicated by the date of issue.

**WARNING NOTICE**  
Intelligence Sources  
and Methods Involved

**SECRET**

25X1

25X1

**Page Denied**